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## GENERAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

### Beecher and the Jews.

NEW YORK, June 23.—Rev. Henry Ward Beecher announced from the pulpit to-day that his discourse in the evening would be in relation to the Jews. The announcement attracted a large congregation, and there were many unable to gain admittance. He took for his text the 34th verse of 14th chapter of Luke: "But when they knew he was a Jew, with one voice for the space of two hours cried out, 'Great is Diana of the Ephesians.'" He said he became intimately acquainted with Mr. Seligman at the Twin Mountain House, and knew him well and knew him to be an estimable gentleman in every way and sense of the word. The Jews formed a large portion of our community, and he must say that they are not only excellent and thrifty citizens, but exceptionally law abiding people. He considered that a great insult had been offered them, but it had so shocked the intelligent and refined people, those whose opinions were worth respect, that it led the people of the country to believe they were held in great respect by their christian fellowship. He further remarked they had given nine million $10,000,000 from the city and endeavored to make terms in jail. Of people who were the last that should have been imprisoned. He did not think it a good sign to see a man who had inherited his money cast reflection upon a man who made his estates by honorable industry. In the end he thought good would come of the insult and would advise them not to hold public meetings or put on armor to fight mosquitoes.

### Tilden gives up his Quo Warranto.

NEW YORK, June 24.—The *World* says it is understood Tilden takes passage on the Cunard steamer *Scythia*, to sail for Europe the 18th of July, and it may be safely inferred therefore, meantime, that he agrees with the great majority of Democrats throughout the United States in thinking that it is hardly worth while to waste much energy in making an *ex officio* war on a *de facto* President.

### Released.

NEW YORK, June 25.—The *Sun* says: The German banker Gerndt, was released because the complainant was not on hand.

### Mormon Proselytes.

NEW YORK, June 25.—Five hundred Mormons arrived from Europe, leave this afternoon for Salt Lake.

### A Murder.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 25.—Patrick Connolly was murdered Sunday morning early, between Kingston and Wyoming, by a party with whom he had quarrelled at a dance.

### Drowning.

BOSTON, June 24.—By the upsetting of a whaleboat in the harbor this afternoon, O. Jones, Jeremiah Shannon and John Doyle were drowned.

### Fires.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., June 24.—A fire at Williamsett to-night destroyed the Congregational church and other property; loss $38,000, insurance $20,000.

### Storms.

COLUMBIA, Mo., June 24.—A destructive storm passed over the city about 10 o'clock last night. The storm was about six blocks wide and passed directly through the center of the city. Pacific Hotel, Tootle's Opera House and a large number of business houses were unroofed. Numerous buildings, including dwellings, were badly damaged, and trees, fences, trees, &c., blown down. The streets were blocked by roofs, trees, &c. Several persons were severely injured, but none are known to be fatally hurt.

### Wind and Rain Storm.

CHICAGO, June 25.—A wind and rain storm which apparently started in the vicinity of Sioux City, is now raging in northwestern Illinois, over the entire state of Iowa, in a large proportion of Illinois and a section of Nebraska. Telegraph wires are prostrated in every direction. At Peoria the wind lifted the tin roof off the chamber of commerce and the rain flooded the interior of the building. Severe hail and lightning prevail along the railroads from railroad in Illinois. The wind seems almost to a tornado.

### The Lick Monument.

NEW YORK, June 25.—The *Times* says the Lick monument is to be set up at once in the cemetery at Fredricksburg, Lebanon county, Pennsylvania. It contains seven large statues, and cost $20,000. Jas. H. Lick learned his trade of cabinet making in Fredricksburg.

### Mails Lost.

Postmaster James has received a letter from Owen H. Long, U. S. consul and postal agent at Panama, in which he says he has to report, by the loss of the Pacific Mail steamer *City of San Francisco*, the mails from New York for August 1st, Manzanilla and Mazatlan, by steamer *Alcapulco*, leaving New York May 10th, the mails from New York for Manzanilla and Mazatlan by steamship *Colon*, leaving New York April 17th last. The Pacific Mail steamer sailing Panama on the 9th or 10th of each month for San Francisco and touching at Manzanilla and Mazatlan is the only direct communication with these ports; therefore the mails from New York for Manzanilla and Mazatlan by New York steamers arriving on the 8th or 25th of each month, are held over until the 9th or 10th of the following month.

### An Outraged, Indignant People.

CHEYENNE, June 25.—Specials from Logan, say the excitement is intense over the brutal atrocious murders of John Welden, widowed sister Mrs. McClung, and Nancy Allen. Fifteen hundred people are gathered, and fears are entertained that there will be an outbreak to-night, to take the prisoners from jail and lynch them. The militia are under arms and a number of extra police sworn in. Latest developments show that Indians were not concerned in the murders. Late excited groups of men were seen quietly gathering in the streets of Logan. Men from different parts of the country are present.

### Destructive Fire.

MARLBOROUGH, June 25.—The fire in Marlborough this morning destroyed nearly the entire business portion of the town. The fire began in the stable of the Hataway House and spread to the hotel and other buildings. All the shoe manufactories were burned; three are in ruins. These were mostly large wooden buildings filled with machinery and furnishing employment to hundreds of men and women. Depot 6 of Eastern Railroad and seven passenger cars and a number of freight cars were burned. Over forty dwelling houses were consumed, and occupants saved but a very small portion of their furniture, and many will have only the clothes they had on escaping from the burning building. Seventy-two buildings in all were consumed. It is estimated to make an estimate of the loss or insurance. The fire is now under control.

A dispatch from Marblehead says the fire started from Marblehead hotel on Pleasant street to E. Bartlett & Co's shoe manufacturing building and crossed to the opposite side of School street, taking the grocery and dwelling of Wm. H. Caswell, the dwelling of W. F. Humphrey and the Eastern Railroad depot, destroying the depot and seven cars, thence to Atherton, stock occupied by J. H. Ornes, Geo. A. Green, shoe manufacturers. N. Allen Lincoln, grocer, Levisson's restaurant and W. E. Clark's fruit store; South Church on School street was totally destroyed. The fire burned both sides of School street, N. O. Simmonds' hardware store, E. Perkins' livery stable and the new engine house, half finished, were destroyed. I. O. Lefavour's block and dwelling house adjoining were destroyed. The residence of Richard Reed, shoe factory occupied by Bartlett & Donk, Philip Besson, shoe manufacturers, and residence of E. Cromwell, shoe manufacturers, and residence of Chas. Main, Jr., machinist; residence of N. J. Lefavour and his shoe factory, were destroyed. The residence of Thos. Foss and building of Wm. Chapman, of P. T. Woodfin, expressman, W. C. Woodfin, provisions, shoe factory of Wm. Lamson, also residence of Albert Clapp, Wm. Blackwell, Carrie Payne, Thos Stacy, Daniel Cottel, John Barry, Nathan Glover, T. Hall's express office; Wm. Stevens, shoe factory; Wormsted & Woodfin's shoe factory, and B. G. Hathaway, jeweler.

### A Carpet-Bagger in Office.

NEW YORK, June 25.—The *World's* Washington special says: Some Republicans are urging the removal of Chambers, stamp agent at New York, on the ground that he is incompetent, and had a brother-in-law in the office more than a month. They also allege that he is a carpet bagger from Tennessee, and was never in New York till appointed.

### Wants to go South.

NEW YORK, June 25.—The President in an interview with the editor of the Memphis *Appeal* said he was very anxious to visit the South and meet in their homes leading men of that section. He felt satisfied the spirit of fraternity between the sections was rapidly gaining in strength. He thought the people of the South should encourage immigration of vigorous and enterprising men of the north, and was desirous of hearing as to the progress of education in the South, particularly among colored people; he remembered when professors of Lincoln College, Ohio, who went South to teach negroes, wrote back accounts of inhospitable treatment in that section, but the accounts now were of different character. The President was exceedingly interested in the statistical statement made concerning education. The President did not say when he would visit the South.

## WASHINGTON CITY.

### The Army's Pay.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—The opinion is expressed in military circles that the regular army appropriation bill will not be passed soon after the extra session of Congress convenes. There seems to be an impression that a joint resolution will be passed appropriating the necessary money to pay the rank and file of the army, but on account of a determined effort to reduce the army the regular appropriation bill may be put off until the last of the extra session or the first of the regular session. Should this be the case, work in the arsenals which will be suspended on the 1st of July cannot be resumed early in November as anticipated, and 600 workmen thrown out of employment will be kept idle until the passage of the regular appropriation bill.

### Military Posts Inspector.

A special order issued from the War Department makes official announcement that the General of the army will proceed to inspect the new military posts and routes on the Yellowstone and in Montana, extending his examination to such points as the interests of the frontier may suggest.

### Whisky Cases Reopened.

WASHINGTON, June 23.—The Secretary of the Treasury authorizes the Commissioner of Internal Revenue to have the district attorney of northern Illinois reopen the whisky ring suits against Roelle, Junker & Co., Ford & Co., Chicago, amounting to $60,000 and under which their premises were seized. Defendants will now be allowed to come in to court and plead and the court will use its discretion in allowing the petition of defendants for a reopening.

### Mints, Gold Mines, Etc.

NEW YORK, June 23.—The *World's* Washington special says: Mr. Snowden lately made a report on reopening of the mint at Charlotte, North Carolina, and on the gold mines of the State. He favors the development of the mines and reopening the mint. The mines have hitherto produced from $12,000,000 to $20,000,000. King's Mountain, or Gaston mine, should produce not less than $50,000 per month, if the deposit holds out, of which there seems to be no doubt from a personal examination of the mines, if worked to full capacity. If the placers were properly worked, the North Carolina gold production should be what it was before the gold deposits in California were discovered—between $1,000,000 and $2,000,000 per annum South Carolina mines, such as Brewer, Hale and others would send their bullion to Charlotte, but none of the mines are in operation at present. The amount of gold and silver deposited at the mints and assay offices to the close of the fiscal year, ending June 30, 1876, from South Atlantic gold fields is, according to a report of the director of the mint for 1876, as follows: North Carolina, $10,335,209 31; Georgia, $7,370,455 91; South Carolina, $1,381,-32 05; total production, $19,096,226 28. It thus appears that the mines of this region have heretofore contributed a considerable amount of precious metals to minting institutions of our country, and it further abundantly appears that these mines are rich in gold producing ores, and that many of them are yet undeveloped, and thus are capable of yielding a large increase to the annual supply of gold in our country.

### The Report of the Silver Commission.

NEW YORK, June 23.—A Washington special says Jones' report of the silver commission is expected to be made public in a few days. It is an exhaustive argument in favor of a double standard and remonetizing of silver. The position is taken that the contraction of the currency caused by demonetizing silver has arrested business enterprises and largely contributed to special depression. To day Jones expresses the opinion that with silver demonetized specie resumption would be impossible. He says that if Sherman could possibly resume it would only be temporary, and the result would be great suffering, and return finally to issuing of paper. The Senator favors the passage of the bill to declare the old silver dollar a legal tender for all debts public and private, and directing that upon any person bringing silver plate bars or bullion to the mint it shall be the duty of the government to coin it charging only such seigniorage as may be necessary to cover expenses. Another provision of the bill would be to provide that upon any person depositing in mints a silver bar of given weight and fineness, it shall be the duty of the government to give the party so depositing, certificates of deposit. This corresponds to gold notes, the principle being the same. Jones insists that the 4 per cent. bonds are payable in gold or silver coin at the option of the government.

### Agricultural Statistics.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—The June report of the Department of Agriculture indicates a better prospect than usual for wheat. California averages 50, Oregon 109. Returns from California indicate half of a full crop from a deficiency of a winter rainfall. The report for June, 1876, made the average for the country 13 percentum below standard of the normal condition, and the yield was still lower, forecasting the scarcity which has occurred. The average for winter and spring wheat together this year is 100, winter wheat being above that figure and spring wheat below it, 277 counties reporting winter wheat in full normal condition, 494 above 100 and 190 below it. Of spring wheat, 92 counties report 100 and 177 above and 137 below. The state averages are as follows: Maine 101, New Hampshire 102, Vermont 102, Massachusetts 100, Rhode Island 100, Connecticut 103, New York 108, New Jersey 100, Pennsylvania 98, Delaware 97, Maryland 103, Virginia 109, North Carolina 100, South Carolina 97, Georgia 108, Florida 100, Alabama 96, Mississippi 107, Louisiana 103, Texas 110, Arkansas 106, Tennessee 91, West Virginia 107, Kentucky 108, Ohio 115, Michigan 109, Illinois 109, Wisconsin 97, Minnesota 95, Iowa 102, Missouri 110, Kansas 99, Nebraska 103, California 70, Oregon 109.

### Officeholders in Trouble.

NEW YORK, June 24.—The *World's* Washington special says: Now that the President's orders in regard to office holders and politicians have appeared, there is a feeling akin to consternation among Republican politicians in Washington as to its effect on the fall elections. They all agree that it will be quite disastrous. An ex Congressman states that Maine and Massachusetts will go Democratic, certainly the latter. As for the states of Pennsylvania and Ohio, Republican politicians are few and far between here, to expect anything else in those State, but a Democratic victory. Another Republican of prominence says the President's attempt to strike down the machinery of political organization in a republic like ours is absurd, and it will result in overwhelming defeat to the Republican party. "Why, sir," he added, "Hayes carried his own state entirely by political assessment, and the work of men in office." He cannot deny that, as he knows it was only by the greatest effort it was saved from the Democrats. To turn Wyckoff, chairman of the Republican committee of that state out of office, if he does not resign from his committee, is base personal, as well as political ingratitude. In the old border states like Maryland, Virginia and Missouri, it is the concurrent opinion that the Republican organization will be entirely broken off.

### What a Cameron Man thinks about the Order.

A Pennsylvania politician declares the President's order will ruin the Republican party in Philadelphia. He says nearly all officers and employes in the custom house, postoffice and mint in that city hold their places as rewards for their zeal and skill in managing caucuses, conventions and elections in their precincts and wards. Many of them are presidents of local Republican clubs, and there is scarcely a man who has not and is expected to aid his party by contributions of money and by active personal effort in every political canvass, whether city, state or national. He believes it is to the exertions and pecuniary contributions of the large body of federal office holders that the Republican party owes its control of the city. He reports great alarm and disgust among party leaders in Philadelphia. He thinks the Democrats will declare themselves in favor of a policy exactly opposite from that promulgated by the administration, and will promise that if they succeed the men who get offices shall be they who are most efficient party workers. With the motto of "a distribution of spoils to the most deserving," inscribed upon their banners, he fears that the Democracy will win an easy victory.

### Interpretation of the Office-Holders' Order.

The *Tribune's* Washington special says the President's order, as interpreted by the cabinet officers is, that the order is intended to prohibit any connection whatever with any of the various wards, township, county, state, or national organizations for conducting political campaigns, and debars the office holder from acting as a delegate to political conventions. The only part office holders will be allowed to take in political affairs will be voting, speaking and writing for the press. It is doubtful whether an official will be allowed to leave his office to run himself, however, while he takes the stump for his party, as many have done heretofore. The order is expected to provoke strong opposition from the whole body of working Republican politicians throughout the country, and will no doubt be sharply criticised when Congress meets by both houses. Southern Republicans are particularly troubled about the new departure. They say the party organization cannot be maintained in any part of the country without Federal office holders. In many sections the only efficient workers the party possesses are postmasters, deputy marshals and revenue officials. If they cease their labors the party will go to pieces.

### Postal Changes.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—Discontinued—Belknap Springs, Lane county, Oregon. Postmasters appointed—Wm. A. Stubbs, Molalla, Clackamas county, Oregon.

### Badeau's Successor.

NEW YORK June 25.—The *World's* Washington special says: Howard Jenkins, editor of the Wilmington (Del.) *Commercial*, is reported to succeed Badeau at London.

### To be Removed.

The *World's* Washington special says: No doubt Collector Arthur at New York, as well as Surveyor Sharp, are to be removed. The charge against the former is neglect, in allowing long catalogues of official derelictions developed by recent custom house investigations.

### Treasure Supply.

The *Tribune's* Washington special says: It is estimated by competent treasury authority that the total amount of gold and silver in the United States at this time is $225,000,000. The increase during the fiscal year ending June 30th is supposed to have been not less than $45,000,000. Imports of gold and silver bullion about equaled the exports, and as the balance of trade is becoming more and more pronounced in favor of the United States it is believed the accumulation of specie in this country will continue during the ensuing year at more rapid rate than heretofore; also that when the time fixed for resumption comes around there will be an abundance of the precious metals available. Linderman, director of the mints, expects to spend some time in California and Nevada during the summer, investigating the capacity of the principal gold and silver mines, in order to determine upon the supply of precious metals which the government can count upon for coinage purposes.

## EX-PRESIDENT GRANT IN ENGLAND.

LONDON, June 24.—Gen. Grant was present last night at a banquet given by the corporation at Trinity House. The Prince of Wales presided. Prince Leopold, Prince Christian, Prince Leinengen, Prince of Sadeweimin, Duke of Wellington, Marquis of Hartford, Earl of Derby, Earl of Carnarvon, Sir Stafford Northcote, Mr. Cross and Chief Justice Sir Alexander Cockburn were among the distinguished company present. The Prince of Wales, referring to Gen. Grant in the course of his speech, said: "On the present occasion it is a matter of peculiar gratification to us as Englishmen to receive, as our guest, Gen. Grant. I can assure him for myself and for all loyal subjects of the Queen, that it has given us the greatest pleasure to see him as a guest of this country." Earl Carnarvon proposed the health of visitors, and coupled with it Gen. Grant's name. He said strangers of all classes—men of letters, arts, sciences, statesmen, and all who have been most worthy and great, have, as it were, come to this country of old civilization. "I venture, without disparagement to any of these illustrious guests, to say that never has there been one to whom we willingly accord freer, fuller and heartier welcome than to Gen. Grant; not merely because we believe he has heretofore played the part of a distinguished general, nor because he has twice filled the highest office which the citizens of his great country can fill; but because we look upon him as representing that good will and affection which ought to exist between us and the United States. It has been my duty to be connected with the great Dominion of Canada, stretching several thousand miles along the frontier of the United States, and during the last three or four years I can truthfully say that nothing impressed me more than the interchange of friendly and good offices which took place between the two countries, under the auspices of President Grant. General Grant replied that he felt more impressed than he had possibly ever felt on any occasion. He came here under the impression that this was Trinity house, and that Trinity consisted of the army and navy and peace. He thought it was a place where there would be no talk or toasts. He had been therefore naturally surprised at hearing both. He had heard some remarks from His Royal Highness which compelled him to say a word in response. He begged to thank His Highness for those remarks. There had been other things said during the evening highly gratifying to him. Not the least gratifying was it to hear that there were occasionally in this country party fights as well as in America. He had seen before now a war between three departments, the executive, the judicial and legislative. He had not seen the political parties of England go so far as that; he would imitate their chaplain who had set a good example of oratory, that was shortness; say no more than simply thank His Royal Highness and company on behalf of the visitors.

### An Insane Man's Claim.

WASHINGTON, June 25.—An insane man called at the executive mansion to-day to obtain an order for payment to him of the Geneva award. He had a large bundle of papers supporting his claim.

## THE WAR IN THE EAST.

### The Crossing at Ibrail.

LONDON, June 24.—All authorities continue to assert that the crossing opposite Ibrail is intended merely as a diversion, because the pestilential climate and flooded condition of Dobrudschi forbid operations on an extensive scale. In this connection it is interesting to note that any danger from the Turkish flotilla or army on the Galatz or Reni line, in the opinion of Russian commanders have now passed away.

### Movemen and Number of Troops.

A majority of troops has been withdrawn to Giurgevo to replace the forces who proceed to the Vode and Aluta. Seven or eight trains a day have been leaving Bucharest with troops, artillery and pontoons to replace at Giurgevo, the troops who marched down to Islaich and Turner-Magurelli. The number of troops now between and at Simnitza and Giurgevo is not less than 60,000, while at Turner-Margurelli and Islaich up to Karobbia are upwards of 40,000. A portion of the reinforcements at Simnitza are being sent westward to Krajova, and he troops whose place they take there to the number of 60,000 are moving toward Kalafat and Gladova. Between Giurgevo and Kalarasch there are 30,000. There are thus between Kalarasch and the Hungarian frontier 232,000 men for the first line of attack. In he second line, of Slabosia, Bucharest, Slatina and Krajova there are 78,000, and further north again a reserve of 40,000 is stationed, half at Ploiesta and half at Pitesch. The foregoing are combatants of whom there are three hundred and fifty thousand exclusive of troops at Galatz, Ibrail, Reni and of the reserve camps and barracks at Tartar, Bennar and Belgrade. The total number of Russians combatant and noncombatant in service who are now in Roumania is reliably estimated at 417,000. Their heavy guns are supplied with 700 rounds each, and they have on the Vode and Aluta sufficient pontoons for the construction of six bridges across the Danube. It is believed the main passage must be attempted in a few days, although the Danube is still rather high. The spring floods caused by heavy rains have in a great measure subsided, but before long the summer floods caused by melting snow on the lower Carpathians will commence. The interval must therefore be utilized if attempt is to be made under favorable conditions. The position of the Russians at Turner Margarelli and Simnitza gives them command of four favorable passages, namely—at Turner-Margarelli, Simnitza, Rutschuk and Oreava. Within 12 hours the Russians could by drawing troops from Simnitza and Sloboza muster 132,000 men at and around Giurgevo or by moving the troops at Simnitza westward to Turner-Margarelli could in ten hours mass 133,000 men there and at Islisch. Crossings now need only be a matter of a few hours and a good espionage. Of course, which of the foregoing four points is chosen depends in a great measure on the movements of the Turks. An important point in favor of the Russians is, that owing to the great straightness of the road on the northern side of the river they can march faster than the Turks. The troops at Krajova and westward thereof number 60,000, and combined with the Roumanians can also threaten Widdin, Palanska and Lompalanka. There have been floating rumors during the week of a possibility of the Turks attempting the offensive by a feint at Kalafat and a real attack below Reni, to be supported by the fleet. Of course this would considerably alter the Russian plans. This is considered improbable, although the Russians have strengthened their forces at Belgrade, and are erecting redoubts at Salanova, Gibranis, and on the road from Bords to Ismail.

In Asia the most important strategical event has been the establishment of connection between the Russian left and center, as proved by the fact that in the previous battle the Zeidkaker left was strongly reinforced from the center. All known of subsequent operations has been contained in previous telegrams.

### Other Places of Crossing.

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 24.—The official statement published here says a certain number of Russians have also crossed the Danube in the direction of Karadatch, below Hirzova.

### First Fight after Crossing.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 24.—The official account of the engagement fought by the troops who crossed from Galatz and occupied Budjah heights says the Russian force consists of ten companies of infantry, who crossed in boats and were received by a heavy fire. They however valiantly attacked the heights and drove back the enemy. The Turkish force consisted of 3,000 infantry, 300 cavalry and two guns. The Russians having no cavalry or artillery, were obliged to resist the Turkish cavalry with bayonets. The Turks withdrew on arrival of reinforcements and artillery. The Russian losses were 48 killed and 90 wounded. Gen. Zimmerman telegraphs that the clergy and Christian inhabitants of Matchin received the Russians with great ceremony. One regiment is already in town, and will be reinforced by a brigade under General Iokoff.

### How the First Crossing was Made.

IBRAIL, (Friday) June 22.—The Russians completed the bridge undisturbed by the Turks. Every one understood on Thursday that the crossing was postponed, both on account of the delay in the Czar's arrival and an ambush not far from the bridge. However, Gen. Zimmerman suddenly disappeared from Ibrail during the night. This morning a little after daybreak the people of Ibrail were awakened by he sound of artillery and musketry on the other side of the river, showing that the Danube must have been crossed. Gen. Zimmerman had gone to Galatz and crossed the Danube with two regiments of infantry and a proportionate amount of artillery and cavalry, in a number of boats towed over by steam launches. The distance traveled in boats seems to have met very stubborn resistance.

### The Result of the Crossing.

GALATZ, (Friday evening) June 22.—This morning the wounded came in and continued to do so all day. Judging from the number of ambulances the wounded brought back are not less than 300. Accounts of the action vary much, and it is impossible to get reliable information. Roumanian oarsman say the Russians, who tried to land at the edge of the lake near the village of Tchitchille, were fired on before they touched the shore, and then met with a heavy volley. From five to six thousand Russians crossed with eight cannon at 10 o'clock. The Russians gave up after an attempt to gain possession of the road leading to Tchitchille over the hills, finding the grove near the village filled with Turks. They therefore retired beyond the road and ravine, and attacked a battery capturing it. In the afternoon the first landing was made. A hand to hand fight occurred, in which the first man killed was a young Russian officer, who sprang ashore and was shot through the forehead. The object of crossing and action at Galatz was to protect the great crossing at Ibrail.

### The General Crossing.

An Ibrail correspondent telegraphs Friday, says it is evident the general crossing will begin to-morrow morning at daylight. The whole Russian force here will cross on the bridge and the Russians will thus establish themselves firmly on the other side of the Danube. As there is now a whole army corps here there is a sufficient number of troops to maintain themselves and take the offensive. The crossing, provided this one succeeds to-morrow, will be comparatively easy. Russian tactics now will be to push a force forward as rapidly as possible up the Dobrudscha, extending a hand to the Russian forces on the way up the Danube. This will enable the force at Hirchova to cross without difficulty, and proceeding higher up it can likewise extend a hand to other forces at Kalarash and even Oltenitza.

### Naval Movements.

The steamers *Constantina* and *Gladiator* have sailed for Sebastopol and Odessa, respectively. The former sank four Turkish merchantmen on an Iolian coast after putting their crews aside. The *Vladimir* captured a brig off Varna. Both steamers returned to port safely.

### Getting into the Fight.

Later accounts from Ibrail agree with the Galatz correspondent in showing that the fighting was serious at the crossing opposite Galatz and Ibrail. A correspondent telegraphing Friday night, says a Russian doctor who crossed with the first detachment of 800, informs me that he does not believe out of this number, twenty are left alive or unhurt.

A correspondent at Ibzani, under date of June 22d, says on the night of the 22d inst, 1,500 infantry crossed at Reni in front of Galatz on the 21st, 2,500 crossed during the day with cannon, and reinforcements afterwards arrived from Reni and Galatz. Eight thousand Russians participated in the occupation of the heights commanding Matchin.

LONDON, June 25.—A special from Bucharest estimates that 11,000 Russians crossed at Galatz and Ibrail. It appears that the Turks made an attempt to cross from Loupolanka into Little Wallachia; details unknown.

The successful attempt of the Russians to cross near Rutschuk has been followed by a severe battle on the Danube, in which Turkish gunboats have taken active part. The town of Giurgevo, opposite Rutschuk, occupied by Russians, has been set on fire by Turkish shells. Heavy firing still going on.

### Montenegro Must Beg.

VIENNA, June 24.—Austria has formally refused to intervene in behalf of Montenegro unless the latter acknowledges herself hopelessly prostrate and makes direct application for assistance.

### Heavy Turkish Loss.

CETTINJE, June 25.—The Turkish losses are absolutely incalculable. All Sunday after noon artillery and rifles have been firing on the column as it moves down the valley. The pursuit will be kept up until the column reaches the protection of the guns of Spuz, while it has to run the gauntlet of Plamenatz's division at Martinitza.

### Montenegrin Movements.

VIENNA, June 25.—The Montenegrins are said to have lost about one seventh of their force. Especially the insurgent bands appear to have suffered severely. Numbers of the Montenegrins are beginning to cross over to Cattaro and Budua, so that it has been thought advisable to strengthen the cordon along the frontier.

### Anglo-Russian Diplomacy.

VIENNA, June 25.—It is stated that notes have been exchanged between Austria and England as to the character and significance of the measures of preparation decided upon by these two states.

### Grecian War Movements.

ATHENS, June 25.—News of the passage of the Danube has strengthened the war party. A battery of mountain artillery already left for Larvia on the frontier. Another will leave immediately for Karavanzeri. There is a general movement of the troops to the frontier.

### Milan's Visit to Ploiesti.

BELGRADE, June 25.—Prince Milan has arrives from Ploiesti. The semi-official *Istok* says the Prince's visit is of great importance to the Servian service. It will tend to correct expectations of over warm patriots. Prince Gortschakoff besides advising neutrality assures the Prince that the relations between Vienna and St. Petersburg were the best possible as he might personally ascertain at Vienna.

### Attitude of England.

EDINBURGH, June 24.—A London correspondent gives a variety of rumors relative to the intentions of the government. The report that the government will ask for a credit of £2,000,000 to provide against eventualities is the most widely circulated. The correspondent says persons connected with the government now declare the White Star steamers have been secured in case they should be wanted for transport service.

### The Thunderer on the Eastern Question

LONDON, June 25.—Commenting on the correspondence between Gortschakoff and Derby published Saturday, the *Times* says: Frankness has been met by frankness, and the result is the conviction that the war for which we may hope the speediest termination ought not to endanger the good relations between England and Russia.

### English Cabinet Disagrees with Russia

The English cabinet has, after due deliberation, disapproved Gortschakoff's declaration as to Russia's policy in the Eastern war, and the English government has resolved not to allow even a temporary occupation of Constantinople by Russians.

### Startling Report.

It is reported that the Prince of Montenegro has been killed by his infuriated soldiers, in consequence of their recent serious defeats.

### Austria's Precaution.

Austria's contemplated military measures are gradually coming to be regarded as measures of precaution against all contingencies which may arise in the provinces bordering on Austria after crossing the Danube.

### Looking to a Peace.

LONDON, June 25.—It is reported the British general, Kimball, has been instructed in the event of Russia's taking Erzdroum, to propose an armistice, with a view to negotiate peace.

### The Siege of Odessa.

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 25.—Admiral Hobart Pasha says the Turkish fleet must prevent the Russians from aiding(?) in the bombardment of Odessa, which, without troops disembarking, would be futile.

### Explanation Given.

LONDON, June 25.—Lord Derby said in the House of Lords the Russian government had satisfactorily explained the discourteous reception of Col. Wellesley by Grand Duke Nicholas.

## BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

### The Versailles Legislature.

PARIS, June 24.—The chamber of deputies passed yesterday a supplementary naval vote of nearly 6,000,000 francs for armaments, necessitated by events in the East.

### French Armaments.

VERSAILLES, June 23.—The Senate and Chamber of Deputies, after an unimportant sitting, adjourned until Monday. After the close of the sitting of the Chamber, Duke de Broglie, president of the council, and Fourton, minister of the interior, entered to read the decree of dissolution. They consulted President Grevey, but it being too late, postponed the reading until Monday.

### French Politics.

PARIS, June 24.—Deputies belonging to the Republican Union have decided that no Republican candidate shall be put in nomination against any of the three hundred and sixty-three deputies who voted the other day censuring the Broglie cabinet. Republican Senators have nominated an extra parliamentary committee to draft a manifesto. M. Simon is a member of the committee.

### Republicans in France.

PARIS, June 24.—At a banquet given at Versailles on the anniversary of the birth of Gen. Hoche, M. Garabetta spoke hopefully of the Republican victory in the coming election. France, he declared, would then have a definitive and shaped government. The republic was the guarantee of the peace of Europe. Republican government did not require or ask foreign governments for a test of their confidence. M. Gambetta concluded by proposing the health of M. Thiers, the liberator of the territory and enlightened guide of France.

### To the Debtors' Prison.

LONDON, June 25.—The superior court has ordered the immediate execution of the sentence against Dr. Stronenberg, railroad speculator. It is therefore expected he will be removed to the debtors' prison, instead of as hitherto being allowed to remain under arrest in his own house.

### Bank of England.

LONDON, June 25.—Amount of bullion gone into the Bank of Eng and on balance to day £110 000.

### Bonds.

LONDON, June 25.—Consols, 94; new 5's, 107¾.

### The Rifle.

LONDON, June 26.—Sir Henry Halford writes confidently of the prospect of taking a strong rifle team to America to shoot at Creedmoor in September.

### A Bug Away from Home.

COLOGNE, June 25.—A Colorado beetle was discovered here yesterday by a butcher who

# The Daily Oregonian.

TUESDAY MORNING, JUNE 26, 1877.


### DEBATE ON SILVER.

Discussion of the silver question largely engrosses the attention of the country. Eastern newspapers are full of it. Politicians are trying to present it in ways to gain party advantage. President and members of his cabinet submit long statements of their views upon it. The main question is on the restoration of silver and the propriety of a law to make it an unlimited legal tender. Throughout the states of the middle region, from Ohio to Nebraska, the affirmative of this scheme is said to be immensely popular. A good deal of trouble would be saved if men could be induced to look at the question in the light of facts and common sense. The old dollar contained of silver 412½ grains. This amount of silver is worth now considerably less than 100 cents. All commercial countries have accepted the decline of silver as one of the certain facts of finance and trade. No law the United States could enact would make silver as universally recognized as it once was. Our country alone cannot set up a standard of money for the world. Since silver of recent years has been produced so cheaply and in such abundance, the decline in the value of the metal as compared with other things was natural, and altogether to be expected. Measured by labor, or the cost of producing it, which is the first great law of values, it is worth less than formerly; and no visionary scheme of finance, and no doctrine of legal tender, can in any way alter this primary and fundamental law.

It is folly, therefore, to try by legal enactment to make 412½ grains of silver worth as much in relation to other things as the same quantity of the metal used to be. Surely this ought to be as plain as an axiom. But many people forget what it is that gives value to that which we call money. They suppose this value depends on statutes, when in fact it is regulated by principles which no statutes can reach. Many who see government's paper issues passing for money, imagine these issues valuable solely because they are authorized by law and bear the government stamp; but every one ought to know that they are valuable only for the reason that they are to be redeemed in the recognized money of the world. Familiar as this should be, the truism is it is, the current discussion of financial questions shows it is forgotten. The greenback dollar doesn't pass because government says it is a dollar, but because government promises to redeem it with a dollar which all the world recognizes.

It is practicable for silver to circulate in small sums, because it will not then be challenged. But unless more metal be put in the coins than the present laws prescribe it cannot be made a general legal tender without disarranging all values. Prices of all commodities bought and sold would be enhanced at once to correspond with the debasement of the purchasing medium, and to a somewhat further extent to meet probable losses from fluctuations of it. At current quotations of silver in London our old dollar of 412½ grains is worth but a trifle over 92 cents. It is puerile to suppose that any law we can enact will make this quantity of silver worth 100 cents, as it formerly was.

The world will not now accept silver as a measure of value, because it fluctuates too much. There is a measure of value which possesses the requirement of stability, and this measure all commercial nations now employ as their standard. The dollar of our fathers was fifteen ounces of silver to one ounce of gold. We never can get this dollar again, because the relative value of the metals has changed, and it takes about sixteen ounces of silver to equal one ounce of gold in value. No legislation can possibly restore the old relations of the two metals. A higher law fixes that. Political parties may contend about it, and try to settle it by platforms and through elections, but they will never touch their real object. True, they may go far enough to do mischief, but never can accomplish any other result.

Mischief may be done to private business and public credit by ignorance or forgetfulness of the controlling law of values. To make silver coins of the old weight an unlimited legal tender would enable every debtor to pay his creditor with a currency considerably cheaper than that with which he contracted to pay. Applied to government transactions and payments on the national debt, it would be utterly destructive of public credit, and in the end would cost the people far more than the amount out of which it might cheat the public creditor. Bonds of the United States bearing four per cent. interest and payable in gold are now sold at par. This is proof of a remarkably good state of public credit. But let the silver craze prevail, and cheap interest will be an impossibility. If we try sharping as a national policy we shall be beaten at it. No party can afford it. Since an overruling law fixes the relative values of things we may as well acquiesce in the regulation. Nothing is more foolish than to try to get such matters into party politics. For, after all our platforms are written and our elections are over, we shall find the supreme law of values quite unchanged.

### THE PRESIDENT'S ORDER.

If the New York *World* is to be believed there is extreme consternation among Republicans on account of the president's order to office-holders. On such a subject that paper will hardly be accepted as good authority. It is possible there are some who don't like the order because they know their political power will be diminished when they can no longer compel office-holders to work for them. Such alarm may fill the breasts of a class of senators who have surrounded themselves with official rings in the hope and for the purpose of perpetuating their own tenure; but it will not go much further. For the office-holders themselves, they have every reason to be thankful for their emancipation. As the *Evening Telegram* truly says, "it restores them to the privileges of an unfettered manhood." Heretofore as the same paper pointedly observes, neglect in the performance of the partisan work now prohibited "would have been the occasion of speedy removal." Quite likely the crafty politician who wants the offices filled with his own trained and faithful workers, instructed to control party action in behalf of their chief, will hastily decide that the cause of the party is lost when he can no longer command men to do this work for him. But there is no reason to doubt that the strength of the Republican party has been very seriously impaired by the old practice, now inhibited by the president's order; and what was gained to the party by the activity of intrigue, was lost to it through the discontent engendered by such practices. On the whole, therefore, the party will lose nothing by a mandate which deprives political chiefs of their long abused power to command office holders to work in their behalf, and the country will greatly gain by it.

Capt. Waddell, who ran his steamship on a rock, is suspended. He was more successful as a burner of whalers.

### PARADISE LOST.

Major Jim, chief of the Bannacks, tells a pitiful story. He and his tribe are now face to face with the difficulty imposed on the human race by the primitive curse. Civilization has brought to them the scriptures and a literal and severe interpretation of their meaning. Major Jim and his lazy fellows have been accustomed to living on the products of nature. In their paradise, camas, fish and buffalo meat have always been abundant. But in the fulfillment of the deep designs of Providence, they are expelled from their paradise, or it is encroached upon; and now, like those other unlucky human beings to whom the curse came six thousand years ago, they must work or starve. If they expect to eat any more they must do it in the sweat of the face. Fulfillment of this law comes late to them, but come it will to all, at last. It is inexorable as fate and true as revelation, and cannot be set aside in behalf of a set of losel Indians, who delight in loafing, hunting and scalping, while they make their squaws dig camas and act as beasts of burden.

That paradise is lost. It never will be recovered. Sentimental humanity may pity them as they are expelled from it, and lament that such a fate has overtaken nature's perfect work, the noble Indian; but comiseration will not save him. In him also the scriptures are to be fulfilled, and he must work or die. He is brought to a condition in which he can no longer claim exemption from the lot of humanity. He can't have a broad country over which to roam as a savage. Another race, who lost their paradise long ago, have to work or die; and when they find land unoccupied save by camas diggers, or by scattered bands who follow the chase, they will take it, and improve it. They would respect Major Jim as right if he were an honest and industrious tiller of the soil. But when they see him trying to keep for a camas patch to sustain miserably a handful of lazy beggars a country which labor will make to yield a bountiful support for a million of people who are willing to work, and who know the blessings of it, they do not regard his claim at all; and that camas patch becomes a wheat field, churches and school-houses are built, trade is established and the whole order of civilized society is set in motion.

Major Jim may be incapable of this transformation. If so he is unfortunate, but it goes on nevertheless. It is the ceaseless, resistless operation of a law to which he must conform or perish. In these great movements nature makes no exceptions. Even the reservation system is but a temporary respite from fate, unless the Indian will learn to work. If he will not bow submissively to the first cruel curse, there is the alternative of extinction. Hard as this is, it is the common lot. The Maker of man gave it as the eternal law.

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It is now announced that England will not permit to Russia even a temporary occupation of Constantinople. This seems to anticipate things a good deal, since Russia is not making any sensible progress toward Constantinople. English alarm would appear to be somewhat premature and for the present unnecessary. If England has asserted this position Russia will be obliged to conform to it, owing to the persuasive power of English iron clads.

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Victoria papers speak with great satisfaction of the reappointment of Hon. Allen Francis to the position of United States consul at that port. He held the place from 1862 till 1869, when he resigned. During the great rebellion in the United States, feeling at Victoria ran high between partisans of the contending sections, and unpleasant occurrences were frequently averted by his judgment and tact. He well deserves reappointment.

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It would be such a misfortune if the president's order should injure the Republican party in the southern states. By no possibility can that party hereafter carry an electoral vote or a congressional district south of the Potomac and Ohio. Below the present deep there is no lower deep; so the cry from the south need no alarm.

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25 cents.

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50 cents.

Worsted Table Covers,

90 cents

Corsets.

50 cents and upward.

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20 and 25c.

Large stock Embroideries,

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At Clearance Prices.

It is not our intention to mislead the public by advertising Goods which we cannot produce upon enquiry, but to give VALUE RECEIVED in every instance.

Soliciting a call from every purchaser at the old stand,

Remain, respectfully,

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THE GRIMES HOUSE,

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HAS BEEN NEWLY PAINTED, AND HAS A new outfit of Spring Beds, and the proprietor promises to give satisfaction to guests or no pay. All persons wishing to write for rooms will direct their letters to Skipanon, Clatsop county.

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Three Miles from Unity, W. T.

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☞ The public are warned against purchasing through tickets at Astoria for Oysterville, as Stout's Lightning Express connects with the regular boats, runs to Oysterville and carries the U. S. Mail.

Teams for Drives can be had for Hire.

☞ FIRST CLASS BOARD can also be had, and all kinds of Farm Produce will be furnished to campers at very reasonable rates.

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Fire Insurance Company

Capital, - - - - - $200,000.00

Assets, - - - - - $300,511.15

Income, 1875, - - - - $145,000.00

Losses paid since Organization - $1,157,000.00

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Portland, April 30, 1877. m1d1y



# The Daily Oregonian.

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| Sun or temp. & clevs | 20.134 | 30.055 | |
| Thermometer | 49 | 64 | |
| Relative Humidity | 93 | 47 | |
| Wind, direction | S.E. | N. | |
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### POLICE COURT NOTES.

Yesterday the following cases were disposed of by Judge Adams: A. Martin, drunk and disorderly, $5; Lake, larceny, held to answer; W. Hastings, drunk, 10 days; P. Kennedy, drunk, $5; A. J. Canovan, drunk, $5.


"The Sweet Bye and Bye."

Buy from Fishel and Roberts; it will be wide awake house of the day for any kind of clothing, hats and furnishings.

No Necessity

Of paying high prices for your clothing when you can buy nice custom-made stylish suits for $12, $15, $17½, $20, $22½ and $25 at Ackerman Bros'. Clothing Bazar, corner First and Washington streets.

The largest assortment of ladies' linen suits in the city, can be found at J. Harris & Co.'s Emporium of Fashion.

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The absence of Mr. Clarke, of Clarke & Henderson, in the east on a purchasing tour necessitates an immediate closing out of sur- plus stock. As to prices it is morally certain the Lady will be marked down to suit the times as people must be supplied if at cost. Here is a splendid opportunity that all should avail themselves of.

### POLICE COURT NOTES.

Yesterday the following cases were disposed of by Judge Adams: A. Martin, drunk, $10; John Lake, larceny, held to answer; W. Hast- ings, drunk, 10 days; P. Kennedy, drunk, $5; A. J. Canavan, drunk, $5.

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Buy from Fishel and Roberts; it is the wide awake house of the day for any man's clothing, hats and furnishings.

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Of paying high prices for your clothing when you can buy nice custom-made stylish fitting suits for $12, $15, $17, $20, $22½ and $25 at Ackerman Bros'., Clothing Bazar, corner of First and Washington streets.

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New novelties in lace scarfs and bibs, trimmings, embroideries, fans, beads, etc., at Mrs. Charles Tichner's, 126 First street.

## MRS. BEN HOLLADAY'S WILLS.

Cassandra Calvert de Bussierre, as executrix of her mother, Notley Ann Conn Holladay, has brought suit against her father, Ben Hol- laday, and others, to set aside the probate of a will by her mother, made prior to that under which she claims as executrix. Ben Holladay, Jr., and Jennie D. H. de Pourtales Gorgier, with Mme. de Bussiere, were children of Mr. Holladay. Mrs. de Portales Gorgier died in 1873, leaving one child, Marie P. L. de Pour- tales Gorgier. Mrs. Holladay made a will, dated just before her death, in 1873, in which, after making some small legacies, she gave the income of one-third of her property to each of her three children for life, the share of each then to go to his or her children. At the time this will was presented in Westchest- er county, New York, in October, 1873, for probate, another brief will, made by Mrs. Holladay in March, 1871, was also offered and was admitted to probate the following De- cember. Mme. de Bussierre says she was at the time a minor, married to a foreigner and living in a foreign country. Under the in- fluence and advice of her brother, Ben Holla- day, Jr., and supposing he intended vig- orously to contest the will of 1871, by which all property was given by Mrs. Holladay to her husband, Ben Holladay, she took no earnest steps to oppose its probate. She now seeks to re-establish the last will and her rights under it. The property involved is about $30,000 of personal property, a house in New York and a farm in Westchester county, supposed at one time to be worth $500,000. It has been mortgaged to the Mutual Life In- surance Company for $100,000 since Mrs. Holla- day's death, and also to S. M. L. Barlow for $100,000, the last mortgage having been as- signed to Belmont & Co.

The answer of the mortgagees and the other defendants is substantially that in January, 1871, Ben Holladay, being then the owner of the Westchester property, and desiring to se- cure an independent income for his wife dur- ing her life, entered into an agreement with her, whereby he conveyed to her this property, she, at the same time, making a will in his favor, so that at her death it would revert back to him. It is further charged that when she made the later will she was not in fit con- dition to execute any will, and that the deci- sion of the Surrogate excluding it was made after full examination showing such unfit- ness. This, however, her children, who were with her during her last illness, deny.

## BOARD OF TRADE.

A special meeting of the Board called by the President, was held in the Board rooms yesterday afternoon at 3:30. There was a very large attendance. Hon. H. W. Corbett, Pres- ident of the Board, in the Chair; William Reid, Secretary, present.

The meeting being called to order, the Presi- dent stated that he had called this meeting for the purpose of the Board considering the advisability of tendering to Senators Morton, Saulsbury and McMillan and their party now visiting Oregon, a public reception, in the name of the Board of Trade, not to these gentlemen politically, as representing any party or views, but as a recognition of their services as distinguished Senators of the United States.

After some discussion, in which a number of the members expressed their views, the Board unanimously adopted the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That a committee of seven with the President be appointed with full powers to receive, in the name of this Board, Senators Morton, Saulsbu- ry and McMillan and their party, now about to visit Oregon, and extend to these distingu shed gentlemen such courtesies as the committee may, in their judgment, consider appropriate.

Col. McCraken suggested that the President should proceed to Kalama and there meet the gentlemen referred to.

Moved that the President appoint the recep- tion committee of this Board. Carried.

The President intimated he would hereafter appoint the committee and give notice of their names to the newspapers.

This being a special meeting no further business was under consideration, it was therefore moved that we adjourn. Carried.

## AMUSEMENTS.

The Overland Route.—Why this latest production should be called "The Overland Route" we cannot divine, as the scenes are laid on board of a steamer and, contrary to general expections, in the tropics. The play is a comedy from Tom Taylor's pen, and abounds in wit, humor and comical situations. Every member of the company have some- thing to say and do, though in Herne, Brown and Mrs. Bush centers the most attention. Herne is one of those matter-of-fact fellows in the character of "Tom Dexter," and is a great favorite on the steamer. Brown, as "Lovi- bond," is exceedingly funny and keeps the au- dience in a roar every time he presents him- self. Mrs. Bush as "Mrs. Sebright" is lively and vivacious, and won last night many friends by her easy, graceful acting. The prompter, in certain places, gave the cue to some of the actors of whom better was expect- ed. The scene on the island, where the ship- wrecked passengers and crew are cast, is well set, and the dresses worn by some of the un- fortunates are really ludicrous. The comedy is well worth seeing—one that is sure to make the most sober individual change his manner and almost expire with laughter. It will be presented for the last time to-night, as other novelties precludes its continuance.

## RECEPTION TO SENATOR MORTON.

Hon. H. W. Corbett, president of the Port- land Board of Trade, has appointed the fol- lowing gentlemen to compose the committee to receive Senator Morton and his party: Col. John McCraken, chairman; Chas. Hodge, Esq., Frederick Townsend, Esq., Isaac White, Esq., Wm. Kapus, Esq., Hon. Phil Wasser- man, E. C. Lord, Esq.

Mr. Corbett will proceed to Kalama, meet the distinguished visitors and accompany them to this city. They will be met here by the reception committee and tendered the hospitalities of the city. Arrangements will be subsequently made by the committee for tendering a public reception to the great In- diana Senator and the other distinguished gentlemen composing the party. Due notice will hereafter be given of the time and place of the reception.

## PICNICS.

Unitarian Picnic.—The picnic under the auspices of the Unitarian Sunday School was to have come off last Saturday, but an avor- able weather necessitated its postponement until to-day (Tuesday). Yesterday proving unfavorable, it has been determined by the ladies not to give the picnic to-day. Should to-day however prove bright and pleasant, and to-morrow morning be auspicious the picnic will come off to-morrow (Wednesday) without fail. The commodious steamer *City of Salem* has been chartered for the occasion, and will leave Pacific dock at an early hour, which will hereafter be designated, for the picnic grounds on Ross' Island.

Dr. Sassaretti's Departure.—This very em- inent oculist, who has been stopping in Port- land for the past fortnight, will leave for Salem to-morrow morning. Dr. Sassareth has met with a degree of success truly remarkable During his short stay here he has treated 333 persons, and furnished a very large number of his superb spectacles. All who have been treated are delighted. The citizens of Salem may rest assured that he is a very experienced and skillful professional gentleman.

Instead of making a "tour around the world," go to Fabre's Chateau de Versailles.

Ladies, if you want a nice cashmere dress go to the Emporium of Fashion of J. Harris & Son.

Clothing is sold at prices that defy competi- tion at Kohn's corner of First and Morrison streets.

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The Medical Institute of Dr. W. L. Adams, corner of First and Salmon streets, will be removed to Hood river in a few months. Till then chronic diseases of men and women will be treated in Portland as usual. An accom- plished lady assistant to give baths to ladies and assist in their treatment always in the office.

Ladies' linen suits sold cheaper at J. Harris & Son's Emporium of Fashion than in any store in the city.

### CORN REMEDY.

Dr. Halpruner's Patent Salve, for the cure of Corns, Bunions, &c., is for sale by all druggists.

## THE IDAHO INDIAN WAR.

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY OREGONIAN.

### Further Movements of Troops and Vol- unteers.

### A Piute Chief Telegraphs that he is Peace- able, but wants Money to Visit San Francisco and Talk with General McDowell.

### The Feeling Growing Calmer at Boise City and Lewiston.

### Arms and Ammunition Furnished by the Authorities at Washington.

Washington, June 24.—The chief of Ord- nance Bureau has given orders for the issue of 1,000 stand of arms to the state of Oregon, 500 to the territory of Idaho and 500 to Wash- ington territory.

San Francisco, June 24.—The following dispatch is received here:

Winnemucca, June 23.

To Gen. McDowell, San Francisco. No truth in reports of Piute hostility. Winnemucca, my father, in Idaho, wants me and chiefs to talk with you; the danger is that the whites may make trouble for their own benefit; pay expenses for me and chiefs to come and talk at San Francisco; answer immedi- ately. NATCHES, Piute Chief, Humboldt, Nevada.

To the above General McDowell replied as follows:

San Francisco, June 23.

To Natches, Piute Chief, Winnemucca: Have received your telegram; say to your father that I have not believed that he and his people were hos- tile, and am glad to hear him confirm my judg- ment; have no money to bring you and chiefs to San Francisco, but my officers, Major Sanford and Capt. Sumner, will be at Winnemucca to-morrow to go to Idaho; see them and show them this tele- gram; I will tell them to see you and your father, and to do everything for you that I could do my- self. MAJOR GENERAL McDOWELL, Commanding Division of the Pacific.

Gen. McDowell has telegraphed to Major Sanford and Capt. Sumner in accordance with the above telegram.

### The Situation in Eastern Idaho.

Boise City, I. T., June 24.

The Bannack and Shoshone chiefs who were in council here with Governor Brayman yesterday, camped near town last night and left this afternoon for their camp on Great Camas prairie. One of these chiefs, known as Captain Boise Jim, several years ago served with distinction under Gen. Crook as a scout, and has an honorable record. Two others, Major Jim and Major George, have done similar service. One of the party called Buffalo Horn is a young Bannack brave who has recently served as scout in the Sioux war under Gen. Miles, from whom he has a certificate of honorable dis- charge and testimonials for distinguished ser vice, having given important aid on many occasions, and for having killed a Sioux chief on Wolf Moun- tain on the 8th of January last. These Indians all profess the most peaceful and friendly dispositions toward the whites and the determination to remain friends. Whether they will do so depends upon circumstances. They have already been approached by the hostile Indians from the north, and some of them have been de- bating whether it would be safest and best to re- main friendly or join the hostiles. If the struggle continues long in the north and the Nez Perces and their allies meet with further successes none of the Indian tribes or their chiefs can be expected to do otherwise than to give them aid in some form. The chiefs while there detailed some grievances. It was the old story of dishonest agents and the ap- propriation of their root-producing prairies by the encroaching whites. These are some of the causes which underlie the Nez Perces outbreak. The Bannacks and Shoshones how gathered from their various camps in Southern and Eastern Idaho and encamped on the Great Camas prairie probably number 1,500 of all ages and sexes. Of this num- ber there may be 500 who are capable of taking the war path. No danger is apprehended here from them at present, but the situation is critical, and the influences to which they are exposed are adverse to the safety of the settlement.

The two detachments of mounted volunteers, mentioned in a former dispatch, met each other yesterday at Emmettsville on the Payette, 50 miles northward of this place, and started this morning on a private scout on Salmon river. This is a very perilous service, as the Indians will no doubt be apprised of their approach, and do their best to intercept and capture them. The force numbers only 80 men, and the country to be traversed is rough and mountainous. The loss of this detach- ment would be severely felt, as it includes many of Idaho's best citizens. Express lines through the mountains from here have been provided, which will inform us of the movements of the Indians in the region intervening between the two sections of the territory. If the uprising and confederacy among the tribes in the north is general, as now seems probable, we shall have a long and calamitous Indian war upon our hands. Among the Nez Perces some will remain friendly in any event, but they do not constitute any considerable number of the fighting men. If the war is prolonged, many young men will nearly all be found among the hostiles. An Indian pub- ucy wrong in conception and lame and impotent and dishonest in its application, lies at the bottom of this trouble. It is evident from the dispatches that Generals Sherman and Sheridan totally fail to comprehend the nature and gravity of the situa- tion. Instead of ordering troops to Winnemucca, they should have been pushed northward from that point while the other troops are advancing southward from Lewiston. It is doubtful at this writing whether any settlers have been left alive on Salmon river, but if so their situation is desper ate. Troops from Lewiston can only reach them by advancing through a rough country overrun by hostile Indians, and by making a long detour by the way of Mount Idaho and Florence, passing over a spur of the Salmon river mountain.

The account in the *Chronicle* of last Wednesday is a mass of errors and absurdities. It confounds places and regions widely separated and brings dead men upon the scene. Lawyer, the old Nez Perces chief, has been dead for several years, and the Nez Perces Indian reservation never contained but a very few white settlers and those were nearly all station keepers upon the roads passing across the reservation. The reservation is surrounded by lands which have been ceded to the United States by treaties with those Indians, and it is upon these lands that the white settlements have been made. A portion of these lands were occu- pied by certain bands of Nez Perces Indians who claimed that they never consented to the treaties ceding them. These are what are known as the non treaty Indians. The reservation is an interior district which nowhere touches upon Salmon riv- er, the Wallowa valley, and on the west side of Snake river in Eastern Oregon, and formed a por tion of the country claimed and occupied by the Nez Perces before the advent of the whites.

Winnemucca, with five men and their squaws, will arrive here to-morrow for an interview with Gov. Brayman in response to a permit granted him on Friday by telegraph. J. B. Jones, of Owyhee county, accompanied the party. Winnemucca wishes to visit the Bannacks, and he was told by Gov. Brayman in the telegraphic interview on Friday that he might do so with his small party, accompanied by a white man, whom the governor would send with them. The Bannack chiefs while here expressed a disinclination to meet Winnemucca, and declined to await his arrival. As there is an old feud between him and the Ban- nacks, this would seem to indicate that between those Indians and Winnemucca there has been no communication. It is significant that the number of Indians moving from place to place or camped near the settlements is much larger this summer than usual. A prospector just in from the Lolo Salmon States there are about 50 Indians encamped upon that stream within 40 miles of the head of the Weiser. An effort will be made to mount an other detachment here to-morrow for active service wherever needed. Great difficulty is ex- perienced in procuring horses to mount the troops. Gen. Gibbon's column of cavalry are expected to ar- rive here from Camp Harney to morrow en route north.

### Later from Joseph's Camp.

Yesterday morning the following special dispatch was received:

Lewiston, I. T., June 22, 1877, via Walla Walla, 25.

We have just received reliable Indian news from Joseph's camp to this effect: All the Indian wo- men, children and property had been moved across the Salmon river, thus leaving the men free to operate, and it is said that they intend to raid upon the settlements in Wallowa. In the late fight there were seventy Indians engaged and the casualties were four wounded, one shot through the body perhaps fatally. This news I get from a reliable Indian and comes direct from the camp. It is also corroborated by news brought in by Joe Craig. The troops will move early in the morning from the post, commanded by Gen. Howard in person. At Page with his company of 25 volunteers go with them on eight days' service. We do not hear of any more settlers having been killed and hope that we have learned the worst. The soldiers file where they were killed, stripped and mutilated. I saw Father Cataldo this morning, who came in with a Coeur d'Alene chief to assure Gen. Howard that his people would remain friendly. The excitement is now calming down and the settlers are returning to their homes. H. M. CHASE.

### Winnemucca Friendly.

Baker City, June 25, 1877.

Millard & VanSchuyver—Reports of danger- ous Indians between Umatilla and the railroad, as stated in Portland papers, is a mistake. Winne- mucca and other bands beyond here are friendly. Please remove this impression from the minds of the people by a local notice. J. W. VIRTUE, H. C. PAIGE.

### Reported Indian Council.

A few days since a gentleman from British Columbia arrived in this city en route to San Francisco. On his way down to Portland he passed through the Spokane country. When some distance beyond the Columbia river, he fell in with an old Indian chief who was called "Priest." This Indian had only about 100 people in his tribe, including men, women and children. From "Priest," the gentleman learned for the first time of the massacre of the whites on Salmon river which, as may well be supposed was startling news. The old chief informed him that all the Indians in that region knew of the massacre; that they had held a council but a few days before, at which all the tribes of Indians in that region were represented. These Indians had met and discussed the matter among them- selves as to whether or not they should join the hostile party. "Priest" said that after a long consultation they came to this conclu- sion: If the government persisted in its course of compelling by armed force, if neces- sary, Chief Joseph and his band to go on to the reservation, then they all proposed to join against the whites. This information comes in a roundabout way and should be taken with some degree of allowance, but there may be some truth in what the old chief said after all.

## NOTES FROM ALBANY.

Our regular correspondent sends the follow- ing under date of June 25th:

Public schools close this week.

The market is well supplied with vegeta- bles.

The Baptists hold a convention in this place this week.

Wild blackberries are becoming abundant in the market.

Special train on the railroad to campmeet- ing last Sabbath.

The campmeeting at Roberts' Bridge was well attended on Sabbath.

It is rumored that a new bank is to be es- tablished here in a few weeks.

The grading of the railroad from Corvallis to Yaquina Bay is moving rapidly.

Large herds of sheep have passed through the city the past few days, which were bound for Eastern Oregon.

The weather has been cloudy for the past week, with occasional showers, just such as was needed for late grain.

The Indian war in Idaho is creating some interest in this part of the country, as many of our friends have gone east of the moun- tains.

Miss Lucy Claypool died on Friday last of heart disease. The funeral on yesterday (Sab- bath) at the Congregational church, was largely attended.

Prof. L. J. Powell, of the Albany Collegiate Institute, has been rusticating in Portland the past week, and it is expected that he will re- turn much improved.

It is to be hoped that Gen. Howard will not forget the few Indians scattered throughout this section of the country, as it certainly would be better for them if they were on some reservation.

Our beautiful little inland city of near 4,000 inhabitants never looked more gay than at the present time. The prospect of the wheat crop in the county was never better than now, and the fact that $1,000,000 may be paid out in this place for wheat within the next few months, is no small matter with our people.

The city is making very elaborate prepara- tions for the Fourth of July, and will extend a hearty welcome to Portlanders and all others who may be present. The best possible preparations are being made to accommodate all who may come from a distance. The hotels are putting on their best behavior, and our old friend at the St. Charles, Mr. Fronk will give special attention to guests on that day, and so will the proprietor of the American Exchange.

## THE COURTS.

CIRCUIT COURT—SHATTUCK J.

Monday, June 25, 1877

John McKenna vs Morgan, et al; motion to dis- miss appeal overruled, and cross motion to file as of April 7, 1877.

S. A. Miles vs John D Haley; judgment by de- fault.

John Campbell vs James Cummings; decree of foreclosure.

Eliza Carey vs Sarah Carey; stricken from the docket.

Hannah Tillis vs James Tillis; same proceedings as last.

Emily J. Hussey vs John M. Hussey; case con- tinued for the term.

C. J. Mendenhall vs M. Mendenhall; same pro- ceedings as last.

E. Delschneider vs L. Delschneider et al; decree for foreclosure.

Burt Barry vs James McKay; motion to strike out parts of the answer; argued and submitted.

A. Nicolai vs Alfred Goodnough; decree.

B. W. Morris vs Arthur Fahie; decree.

State of Oregon v. Herman Bernberger; defend- ant arraigned and allowed until to-morrow to plead.

State vs John Dougherty and George B. Thorne; verdict of guilty; day after to-morrow morning set for passing sentence.

Thomas Chapman vs Maria Chapman; order of distribution of funds.

## IN MEMORIAM.

At a regular meeting of Nonpareil Lodge No. 86, I. O. G. T., held June 20, 1877, the following resolu- tions were read and unanimously adopted:

Whereas, It has pleased an Allwise Providence to remove from our circle, by the hand of death, our beloved sister, A. E. Hicks, worthy chief tem- plar of this lodge; therefore be it

*Resolved*, That in the death of Sister Hicks this lodge has sustained the loss of an efficient officer, a kind and considerate member and an earnest and energetic laborer in the cause of temperance, leav- ing a void in our social circle of unity severely felt.

*Resolved*, That we extend to those near and dear to our deceased sister by the ties of blood our heart- felt sympathy in this their sad hour of bereave- ment.

*Resolved*, That as a token of respect to the mem- ory of and many virtues of Sister Hicks, our char- ter be draped in mourning for the space of 30 days, and that these resolutions be spread upon the rec- ords of this lodge, and that a copy be furnished the family of the deceased and a copy for publication in the OREGONIAN. W. S. JAMES,

L. L. CLIFFORD,

W. A. ROBINSON, Com.

Notwithstanding the war in Europe and the recent outbreak of Joseph's band, there is no increase in the price of clothing. Beck & Waldman assure us that they have aimed to keep the prices down.

The Indian war is attracting fully as much attention as Barnes' coffee and lunches.

Col. Bob Ingersoll in his lecture on disembodied spirits could not shake the confidence of his audi- ence in the spirit called Noble Whisky, which all believe in and pay tribute to. Daily seances at Millard & VanSchuyver's, sole agents, 89 Front st.

### A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and in- discretions of youth, nervous weakness, early de- cay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipt that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self addressed envelope to the Rev. Joseph T. Inman, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.*

### Murder Will Out.

A few years ago "August Flower" was discov- ered to be a certain cure for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint; a few thin Dyspeptics made known to their friends how easily and quickly they had been cured by its use. The great merits of Green's August Flower became heralded through the country by one sufferer to another, until, without advertising, its sale has become immense. Drug- gists in EVERY TOWN in the United States are selling it. No person suffering with Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Costiveness, Palpitation of the Heart, Indigestion, Low Spirits, etc., can take three doses without relief. Go to your Druggist and get a bottle for 75 cents and try it. Sample bottles 10 cents. Agents, Crosse & Brigham, wholesale drug- gists, San Francisco.


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FOR RENT.

THAT DESIRABLY LOCATED DWELLING House, (lately occupied by Mrs. Farmer) on the corner of Third and Alder streets. Apply to ATKINSON & WAKEFIELD or to the undersigned. No 5 North First street. MARK A. KING.

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A GOOD INSTRUMENT. AT A BARGAIN. Enquire of GILMAN & IRVIN, Auctioneers, First street, between Pine and Oak.

10-ACRE HOMESTEAD FOR SALE,

21 MILES EAST OF FERRY LANDING, NEAR Base Line Road, is offered for sale for a few days at a bargain. Apply to T. PATTERSON, 65 First street. je23d3t

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TWO LOTS, LEVEL AND WELL LOCATED, with good title, for $150 cash. No more eligible lots can be found in the city. For sale by PARRISH & CORNELL, No. 111 Front st., (west side), between Morrison and Alder sts.

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### THE WASHINGTON PILGRIM.

He bowed his head upon his knees,
His tears fell thick and fast.
His unkempt locks waved in the breeze,
As it swept idly past.

A stranger of expression bland,
In sober garb attired,
Accosted him politely, and
In gentle tones inquired:

"Perhaps you mourn some love friend cold?
Perhaps you've lost a brother?
Or, if I may be quite so bold,
There's something ails your mother"

Then he who in such sorrow was,
Turned red as any fire,
And cried: "Get out, I weep because
I wasn't born in Obier!"

### SUNS IN FLAMES.

HOW THE EARTH MAY BE DESTROYED AND WHEREIN OUR SAFETY LIES.

The catastrophe in the stellar system—the conflagration of a star—which caused so much commotion in astronomical circles a few months ago, is made the subject of an article in *Belgravia* (March) by Richard A. Proctor. He says that this catastrophe happened probably a hundred years ago; the messenger which brought the news to us, though traveling at a rate sufficient to circle the earth eight times in the course of a second, had traversed millions upon millions of miles before reaching us last November. If a similar accident happened to our sun the creatures on that side of the earth turned towards him would be destroyed in an instant, and the rest very quickly afterwards. The heavens would be dissolved, and the elements would melt with fervent heat. The question is asked whether the earth is in this danger, and whether warning would be given of the coming destruction. The answer may be gathered from the facts mentioned in the article. There have been other solar conflagrations before that which was made known last fall. The first on record—observed by Hipparchus—occurred 2,000 years ago. It was seen blazing in full daylight, showing that it was many times brighter than Sirius, the blazing dog-star. It was called a new star because it had ever been invisible until its conflagration made its light temporarily visible. The next new star (or stellar conflagration) appeared in the regions of the heavens between Cepheus and Cassiopeia three times, A. D. 945, 1264, 1572, and is expected to be seen on fire again before long. This star remained burning at its last appearance for sixteen months. It appeared larger than Jupiter and brighter than Sirius. It did not attain this lustre gradually, but shone forth at once in its full size and brightness, as if it had been of instant creation. In 1596 Fabricius observed a new star in the neck of the "Whale" constellation, and in September, 1604, a new one was discovered in Ophiuchus. In 1670 a new star appeared in the constellation Cygnus, remaining visible for nearly two years. In 1848 another was seen, which has continued in existence since its apparent creation. By the aid of the telespectroscope—an instrument combining the telescope and the spectroscope—it was found that the increase in the star's light, rendering the star visible, was due to the abnormal heat of the hydrogen surrounding that remote sun. But it could not be so easily decided whether this hydrogen was aglow with the heat of the star or whether absolute combustion was in process. In other words, was it as a red-hot piece of iron or like a red-hot coal? These star conflagrations, it is believed, are caused by contact with other heavenly bodies—meteoric flights traveling on eccentric paths, or those in attendance of the comets. The meteors attendant on a comet continually follow its path years after the comet has disappeared. The tail of the comet of 1843 must actually have grazed our sun. Newton's comet nearly approached it. At any time we might be visited by a comet mightier than either, traveling on an orbit intersecting the sun's surface, followed by flights of meteoric masses enormous in size and many in number, which, falling upon the sun, would excite its whole frame to a degree of heat far exceeding what he now emits. We have evidence of the tremendous heat to which the sun's surface would be excited in such a case. In 1850 two meteoric masses came in contact with the sun. The downfall of these two bodies only affected the whole frame of the earth at the very time when the sun had been thus disturbed. Vivid aurorns were seen where they had never been seen before, accompanied by electro-magnetic disturbances all over the world. In many places the telegraph struck work, the signal-men received severe shocks, and at Boston a flame of fire followed the pen of Bain's electro telegraph, which writes the message upon chemically prepared paper. This was the effect of two meteors. The effect of a comet, bearing in its flight many millions of meteoric masses falling upon the sun—should that take place—can be understood. Our sun, seen from some remote star whence ordinarily he is invisible would shine out as a new sun for a few days, while all things living on our earth and whatever other members of the solar system are the abode of life would inevitably be destroyed. If a comet came out of that part of the constellation Taurus, arriving in such a time as to fall upon the sun in May or June, the light of the sun would act as a veil, and we should be instantly destroyed without knowing anything about it. If it fell in November or December we should see it for weeks, and astronomers would be able to tell us when it would fall upon the sun. The disturbance upon the sun would be temporary, but there would be no students of science left to record the effects. The chances are largely against such an accident. Our sun is one among millions, any one of which would become visible to the eye upon such an accident, yet during the last 2,000 years less than twenty such catastrophes have been recorded. Mr. Proctor moreover reassures us in another way. He says in effect that all but one of these conflagrations have appeared in the zone of the Milky Way, and that one in a region connected with the Milky Way by a well marked stream of stars; that the process of developing is still going on in that region, but that if there be among the comets traveling in regular attendance upon the sun one whose orbit intersects the sun's globe it must have struck before the era of men, and that in our solar system we may fairly believe that all comets of the destructive sort have been eliminated, and that for many ages still to come the sun will continue to discharge his duties as fire, light and life of the solar system.

A Presbyterian clergyman in Scotland caused the secession of three elders from his congregation by quoting *Othello* in the pulpit. He was speaking for the benefit of certain calumniators of himself in the congregation, and said:

If thou dost slander her and torture me,
Never pray more; abandon all remorse;
On horror's head horrors accumulate,
Do deeds to make Heaven weep, all earth amazed;
Nor nothing canst thou to damnation add
Greater than that.

The elders said they wished to worship where the ruths of God required not to be enforced by "the obscene conversation of *Othello* and *Iago*."

The *Silver State* says that a Winnemucca merchant recently received a safe from Cincinnati, the freight on which to Ogden, a distance of 1,700 miles, was $20; from Ogden to Winnemucca, a distance of 420 miles, the freight was $25 50, or about twice what it would have cost to take it through to San Francisco, 460 miles further, and nearly four times the rates charged by other roads.

## SMALL NOTES.

The Hon. Matt Carpenter's law practice is reported to profit him $75,000 a year.

The Boston *Herald* thinks the Ohio rag baby is cutting its teeth on the old silver dollar.

An old negro preacher in Chicago, says of Solomon: "King Solomon he had 300 wives and 700 other lady friends.

There are six Shermans—four brothers and two nephews—in the public service. And the nepotic ax doesn't descend.

Texas, which had a population of only 818,000 in 1870, now claims 2,000,000. The immigration has certainly been immense.

A sale of autographs in New York recently marks the American appreciation of fame Tilton's sold for five cents and Tilden's for one.

J. B. Lippincott & Co. announces a History of the United States, written from the "Friends'" point of view, by Josiah W. Leeds, a Quaker.

In Boston your name must be Adams, you must live on Society Hill, or write a book, before a butcher will tell you any slice off the hind quarter.

The streets of London, if placed in one line, would form an avenue 7,000 miles in length. In the daily cleansing of the streets about 14,000 men find employment.

A Tennessee girl, riding on the cars, crossed the aisle, kicked a man against the window and remarked: "I was brought up never to allow a yaller eyed man to wink at me."

Bark *Alden Besse* has sailed for Budd's Inlet, near Olympia, with cargo of spars from Bath, Maine. Another vessel will soon load.

## FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

### Financial.

MONDAY EVENING, June 25, 1877.

Gold in New York, 1055/8.

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 94; selling, 95.

Silver Coin—1½ per cent. discount.

The week opens with some improvement in financial transactions, though the market is still reported quiet with only an increasing demand from parties who are operating extensively in wool and one or two other seasonable commodities. The losses in business during the spring season were generally small, and dealers have been able to meet their bills quite promptly and still be left on a good footing for further operations during the year. The approach of harvest as usual has some tendency to induce a more conservative feeling in monetary circles, but there is nothing that is regarded as bordering on stringency experienced. On the contrary, prime commercial paper, or other eligible investments are very favorably considered. Rates for loans and discounts, though quotable about as they have been for some months past, are nevertheless easy, and customers of the banks find no difficulty in securing all needed accommodations. This, of course, includes the assumption that they proffer the requisite collaterals. A very fair amount of activity is manifest in the real estate market, not only in this city, but throughout the valley, and the prices paid show a continued appreciation in values, particularly of improved agricultural lands. The progress of immigration, though not excessive, is nevertheless encouraging, and nearly all those coming at present are of the farming class, and in most cases bring with them at least a few hundred dollars which is added to the permanent wealth of the country by being put into land which will also be enhanced by the labor of the newcomer which labor also thus employed, is equal to so much capital. Hence it is easy to see where the general benefit from immigration, to a new country like ours arises.

### The Wheat Crops.

So far as we are able to gather from our exchanges and from parties who have traveled through the country during the past fortnight the excellent prospects noticed a month ago, for the most abundant wheat harvest which Oregon ever had, are still seen in all sections of the Willamette valley. In most cases where we have received any estimate of the probable yield, it is given at from 25 to 30 bushels to the acre as the lowest, while some judges place it much higher, and there is no doubt that many fields will furnish a harvest of 50 bushels to every acre. All reports agree that the acreage planted is much larger than ever before, and the excess in this direction cannot be less than 25 per cent, and will probably be greater. All things considered it is fair safe to presume that the quantity of wheat to be shipped out of the Columbia river during the coming harvest year will not fall short of 6,000,000 bushels.

Neither in the grain markets or other seasonable products does the opening of the week exhibit any change in the prospects of present condition of trade.

### Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship City of Chester will be due from San Francisco on Wednesday.

The ship Isle of Bute has sailed from Astoria for Liverpool with a cargo of salmon, etc.

The latest wheat charters effected in San Francisco are reported at £2 5s to Liverpool direct and a corresponding advance to Cork or the continent, for a wooden ship.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, June 24.—Arrived—Schr La Grande, Port Blakely; str City of Panama, Victoria, ship Shirley, Tacoma; bk David Hoadley, Port Gamble; bk General Cobb, Seabeck; schr Letitia, Port Gamble; schr Champion, Coquille river.

Sailed—Bark Cassandra Adams, Nanaimo; bk P. C. Murray, Honolulu; brig Percy Edwards, Tahiti; schr Enterprise, Shoalwater Bay; bk Gem of the Ocean, Seattle; str Empire, Coos Bay; bk Emerald, Port Gamble; bk Trassilla Alvarez, Port Townsend; str Cordelia, Coquille river; bk Montana, Seattle; ship Sagamore, Port Gamble.

### Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, June 25.—Receipts of wheat for the past week from Atlantic ports 21,250 quarters; from Pacific ports, 10,000; from other sources, 26,000. Receipts of corn, 25,000.


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OFFICE OF INSURANCE COMMISSIONER,
San Francisco, Feb. 5, 1877.

I, J. W. Foard, hereby certify that I am Insurance Commissioner of the State of California, and have supervision of insurance business in the State, and as such Commissioner, further certify that the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company of California is a corporation properly organized under the laws of this State, and being in a solvent condition and possessed of a paid up capital of One Hundred Thousand Dollars, equal to Gold Coin of the United States, is authorized to do business in the State. And I further certify that, upon a personal examination of the books and papers of the said company at the close of the year eighteen hundred and seventy-six, its statement as of this date, and now on file in this office, was shown to be correct and true, the company being possessed of good, valid assets amounting to one million two hundred and eighty-one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six dollars and eighty-six cents ($1,281,856 86), and having outstanding liabilities, as defined by the laws of the State, amounting to nine hundred and sixteen thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars and five cents ($916,750 05), exclusive of the Capital Stock.

L.S. As witness my hand and official seal, the day and year first above written.

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*Insurance Commissioner.*

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| Total Assets, Gold | $1,281,847 59 |
| Re-insurance Reserve, American Experience, 4½ per ct. | $866,631 49 |
| Claims for Death Losses | 26,700 00 |
| Due on Account Salaries and Rents | 2,019 02 |
| Total Liabilities, Gold | 916,750 51 |
| Net surplus to Policy-holders, Gold | $365,097 08 |
| Company's paid-up Capital | $100,000 00 |

The above is, I believe, a true and fair statement of the Company's condition Dec. 31, 1876.

In conclusion, I beg to say that I found the Company's business thoroughly systematized—its books and papers in excellent condition and neatly kept. Every facility was extended to me by all the officers and employees of the Company to enable me to make my examination thorough. Books, papers, and accounts were freely exhibited to me. There was no attempt to hold back or conceal anything. I am satisfied the Company courts the most rigid scrutiny. For courteous treatment, I beg to return thanks to the officers and attaches of the Company.

Respectfully submitted, A. D. SMITH.

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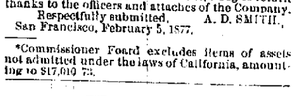
*Commissioner Foard excludes items of assets not admitted under the laws of California, amounting to $17,010 75.



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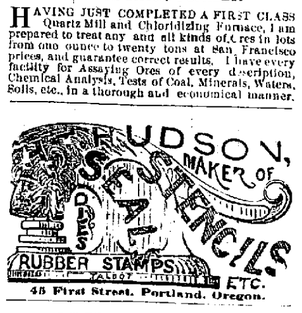


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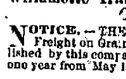

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CHAS. THORN "CALIFORNIA," Commander

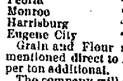
Will leave the Oregon Steamship Company's Wharf foot of F street, for the above ports on

MONDAY, JULY 2, 1877,
At 3 o'clock A. M.

For Freight or Passage apply at corner F and Front streets. GEO. W. WEIDLER, Agent.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO,
VIA TACOMA.



THE SPLENDID SIDE-WHEEL Steamship

"DAKOTA"

Passengers leave Portland per Steamer "DIXIE THOMPSON," on

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 1877, AT 6 A. M.

THROUGH FARE, from Portland to San Francisco

Cabin.....$25 00 Steerage.....$12 00

Tickets for sale at Office Oregon Steam Navigation Company, corner Front and Ash streets, up stairs.

RIVER STEAMERS.

THE WILLAMETTE

Transportation and Locks Co's

STEAMERS leave PORTLAND from the Central Wharf, between Washington and Alder streets, as follows:

FOR DAYTON—Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 A. M.

For Lightering and Towing of Vessels

Between Portland and Astoria apply at the office of the Company, rear corner of Front and Ashsts.

FRANK T. DODGE, Agent.

THE WILLAMETTE

Transportation & Locks Co's

NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER JANUARY 1, 1877, until further notice, the W. T. & L. Co. will carry Freight at

REDUCED RATES.

UP FREIGHT:

PORTLAND TO SALEM.....$1 00 per Ton
" Points above Salem 1 50 " "

For SPECIAL RATES on DOWN FREIGHT apply at the Office of the Company.

FRANK T. DODGE, Agent.

Willamette Transportation and Locks Company.

NOTICE.—THE FOLLOWING RATES OF Freight on Grain and Flour have been established by this company, as the *maximum* rates for one year from May 1st, 1877, viz:

| | Per Ton. |
|---|---|
| Oregon City to Portland | $1 00 |
| Butteville " " | 1 75 |
| Champoeg " " | 1 75 |
| Dayton " " | 2 00 |
| Fairfield " " | 2 00 |
| Wheatland " " | 2 50 |
| Lincoln " " | 2 50 |
| Salem " " | 2 50 |
| Eola " " | 2 50 |
| Independence " " | 2 75 |
| Ankeny's Landing " " | 3 00 |
| Buena Vista " " | 3 00 |
| Spring Hill " " | 3 00 |
| Albany " " | 3 00 |
| Corvallis " " | 3 00 |
| Peoria " " | 3 50 |
| Monroe " " | 4 00 |
| Harrisburg " " | 4 00 |
| Eugene City " " | 5 00 |

Grain and Flour shipped from the points above mentioned direct to Astoria will be charged $1 00 per ton additional.

The company will contract with parties who desire it to transport Grain and Flour at above rates for any specified time, not exceeding five years.

S. G. REED, Vice President W. T. & L. Co.

Portland, April 28, 1877

Oregon Steam Navigation Co.'s

PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

PASSENGERS LEAVE PORTLAND FOR DALLES—Daily, (except Sunday) at 5 o'clock A. M.

FOR UMATILLA and WALLULA—Monday, Tuesday and Friday at 5 A.M.

FOR ALMOTA and LEWISTON—Monday, at 5 A.M.

FOR VICTORIA—Wednesday and Saturday at 5 A. M.

FOR KALAMA, TACOMA AND SEATTLE—Daily (except Sunday), at 6 A. M.

FOR ASTORIA—Daily, (except Sunday,) at 6 A.M.

J. C. AINSWORTH, President.

The Light Draught Str. Ohio

Will leave Pacific Wharf for

COTTAGES,

AND INTERMEDIATE POINTS, ON

Thursday, June 28th,

At 5 o'clock A. M.,

U. B. SCOTT & CO.

F. W. CRICHTON, Agent.

STR. McMINNVILLE



WILL LEAVE PACIFIC DOCK every

Monday and Wednesday,

At 7 o'clock A. M., for

Oregon City, Butteville, Champoeg, Dayton, Lafayette and McMinnville.

Will leave Portland every FRIDAY MORNING at 5 o'clock, for SALEM and INDEPENDENCE. ☞ For rates apply on board, or to the Agent on the wharf.

Portland & Vancouver Packet.

THE STEAMER VANCOUVER,

JAS. T. GRAY, Master,

WILL LEAVE FOOT OF ALDER STREET daily, Sunday excepted, at 3 P. M. Returning, leave Vancouver at 8 A. M. For freight or passage apply on board. ☞ Towing done between 10:30 A. M. and 2 P. M., daily, except Sundays.

G. W. COWAN. P. W. DAVIS.

COWAN, DAVIS, & CO.

Contractors and Manufacturers of Asphaltum Sidewalks, Cellar Bottoms, Drives, &c.

Also—GRAVEL ROOFING.

☞ All work warranted.

Office, Front St., bet. Yamhill and Taylor.

WOOL! WOOL!

I HAVE ORDERS FROM EASTERN MANUFACTURERS direct for 500,000 lbs. "Valley Wools," for which the highest market price will be paid. Correspondence solicited.

GEO. WOODWARD,
Agent Eastern Manufacturers.
P. O. Box 139 Portland, Ogn. m16d&w1f

ICE!—ICE!

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE THE PORTLAND ICE WORKS will deliver ice in the city and on board of steamers or cars at 2½ cents per pound. Special attention paid to packing and shipping. jc16dlm PARRIS & SALMON.

RAILROADS.

Oregon & California R. R. Co

To Take Effect Sunday, Sept. 17, 1876, at 12 o'clock Noon.

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAY), As follows:

PORTLAND AND ROSEBURG

| LEAVE. | | ARRIVE. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Portland | 7:30 A. M. | Roseburg | 7:00 P.M. |
| Rosenburg | 5:00 A. M. | Portland | 4:30 P.M. |

ALBANY EXPRESS TRAIN.

DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) As follows:

| LEAVE. | | ARRIVE. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Portland | 3:50 P. M. | Albany | 8:25 P. M. |
| Albany | 5:30 A. M. | Portland | 10:05 A. M. |

FREIGHT TRAINS

DAILY, (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) AS FOLLOWS

| LEAVE. | | ARRIVE. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Portland | 6:15 A. M. | Junction | 5:00 P. M. |
| Junction | 5:45 A. M. | Portland | 5:15 P. M. |

The Oregon and California Railroad Ferry makes connect on with all Regular Trains.

Close connections are made at ROSEBURG with the Stages of the Oregon and California Stage Company.

☞ Tickets for Sale to all the principal points in California and the East, at Company's Office,

Cor. F and Front Sts., at Ferry Landing
PORTLAND.

Storage will be charged on freight remaining in Warehouse over 24 hours.

Freight will not be received for shipment after 5 o'clock P. M.

J. BRANDT, Jr., Gen'l Sup't.

R. P. ROGERS,
Gen'l Freight and Passenger Agent.

NOTICE.

OREGON & CALIFORNIA RAILROAD CO.

THE FOLLOWING RATES OF FREIGHT ON Grain, Flour and Mill Stuffs, in car loads, as per published tariff of the Company under date of January 16, 1877, will be maintained as the maximum rates until May 31st, 1878, viz:

| | | Per 100 lbs. |
|---|---|---|
| Milwaukie | to Portland | 7 cents |
| Clackamas | " | 7 cents |
| Oregon City | " | 10 cents |
| Rock Island | " | 11 cents |
| Canby | " | 11 cents |
| Aurora | " | 11 cents |
| Hubbard | " | 11 cents |
| Woodburn | " | 11 cents |
| Gervais | " | 11 cents |
| Brooks | " | 12 cents |
| Salem | " | 12 cents |
| Turner | " | 12 cents |
| Marion | " | 12 cents |
| Jefferson | " | 13 cents |
| Miller's | " | 14 cents |
| Albany | " | 15 cents |
| Tangent | " | 15 cents |
| Shedd's | " | 17 cents |
| Halsey | " | 18 cents |
| Muddy | " | 19 cents |
| Harrisburg | " | 20 cents |
| Junction | " | 23 cents |
| Luper's | " | 26 cents |
| Irving | " | 28 cents |
| Springfield | " | 30 cents |
| Goshen | " | 33 cents |
| Cresswell | " | 35 cents |
| Latham | " | 35 cents |
| Comstock's | " | 35 cents |
| Drain | " | 35 cents |
| Yoncalla | " | 35 cents |
| Oakland | " | 35 cents |
| Umpqua | " | 35 cents |
| Roseburg | " | 35 cents |

No charge for drayage at Portland.

R. KOEHLER, Vice Pres. O. & C. R. R. Co.
Portland, Oregon, June 9th, 1877. jel1dlm

NOTICE.

OREGON CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY.

THE FOLLOWING RATES OF FREIGHT ON Grain, Flour and Mill stuffs in car loads, as per published Tariff of the Company under date of January 16, 1877, will be maintained as the maximum rates until May 31, 1878, viz:

| | | Per 100 pounds. |
|---|---|---|
| Summit | to Portland | 6 cents |
| Beaverton | " | 8 cents |
| Reedville | " | 10 cents |
| Hillsboro | " | 10 cents |
| Cornelius | " | 10 cents |
| Forest Grove | " | 10 cents |
| Dilley's | " | 10 cents |
| Gaston | " | 10 cents |
| North Yamhill | " | 10 cents |
| Carlton | " | 10 cents |
| St. Joseph | " | 10 cents |

No charge for drayage at Portland.

R. KOEHLER,
Vice President, Central R. R. Co.
Portland, Or., June 16, 1877. jel6dlm

Northern Pacific Railroad.

PACIFIC DIVISION.

KALAMA TO TACOMA.

DAILY, (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED.)

| LEAVE. | | ARRIVE. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Kalama | 11:20 A. M. | Tacoma | 5:30 P. M |
| Tacoma | 6:30 A. M. | Kalama | 12:30 P.M |

CONNECTIONS

At Kalama with O. S. N. Co.'s Boats for all points on Columbia River.

At Tenino with stages for Olympia.

At Tacoma with Steamers for Seattle, Olympia and all other points on Puget Sound.

On Saturday and Wednesday at 6 A. M. with steamers for Port Townsend, Victoria, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Fraser River.

Connecting Tri-Monthly with Pacific Mail Steamship Co.'s Steamers from VICTORIA to SAN FRANCISCO.

Through fare from Portland to San Francisco:

Cabin.....$25 00 | Steerage.....$12 00

Through Tickets for sale at the office of the O. S. N. Co., Portland,